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Attention Unit 15B Moose Hunters: Clarification of Changes to Fall 2020 season

Actions taken during the March 2019 Alaska Board of Game (BOG) meeting will affect moose hunting in Unit 15B in the fall of 2020. The BOG adopted a proposal in that meeting changing moose hunts in "15B East" (commonly known as the Tustumena Bench, see attached map) from drawing permits to a general season harvest ticket hunt.

A legal moose to harvest in "15B East" under the new regulations (effective this fall) is one bull with at least a 50-inch antler spread or antlers with 3 or more brow tines on at least one side, with season dates of September 1-20. Spike bulls are not legal in this portion of 15B under a general season harvest ticket. Fork bulls are not legal for harvest under any general season hunt in Unit 7 or 15.

It is important to note that the bag limit and season dates for this new general season hunt are different than general season regulations for the rest of Unit 15, and there is not an early bow and arrow-only season in this area. A detailed description of this area may be found on page 88 in the 2020-2021 Alaska Hunting Regulations. The 2020-2021 Hunting Regulations are available at all Alaska Department of Fish and Game offices, vendors, and online at <http://hunt.alaska.gov> under the Regulations link at the top of the page.

All hunters must also complete the Moose Hunter Orientation prior to moose hunting in any area on the Kenai Peninsula. The orientation and quiz are available online at:

https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=quiz.moose_identification_intro

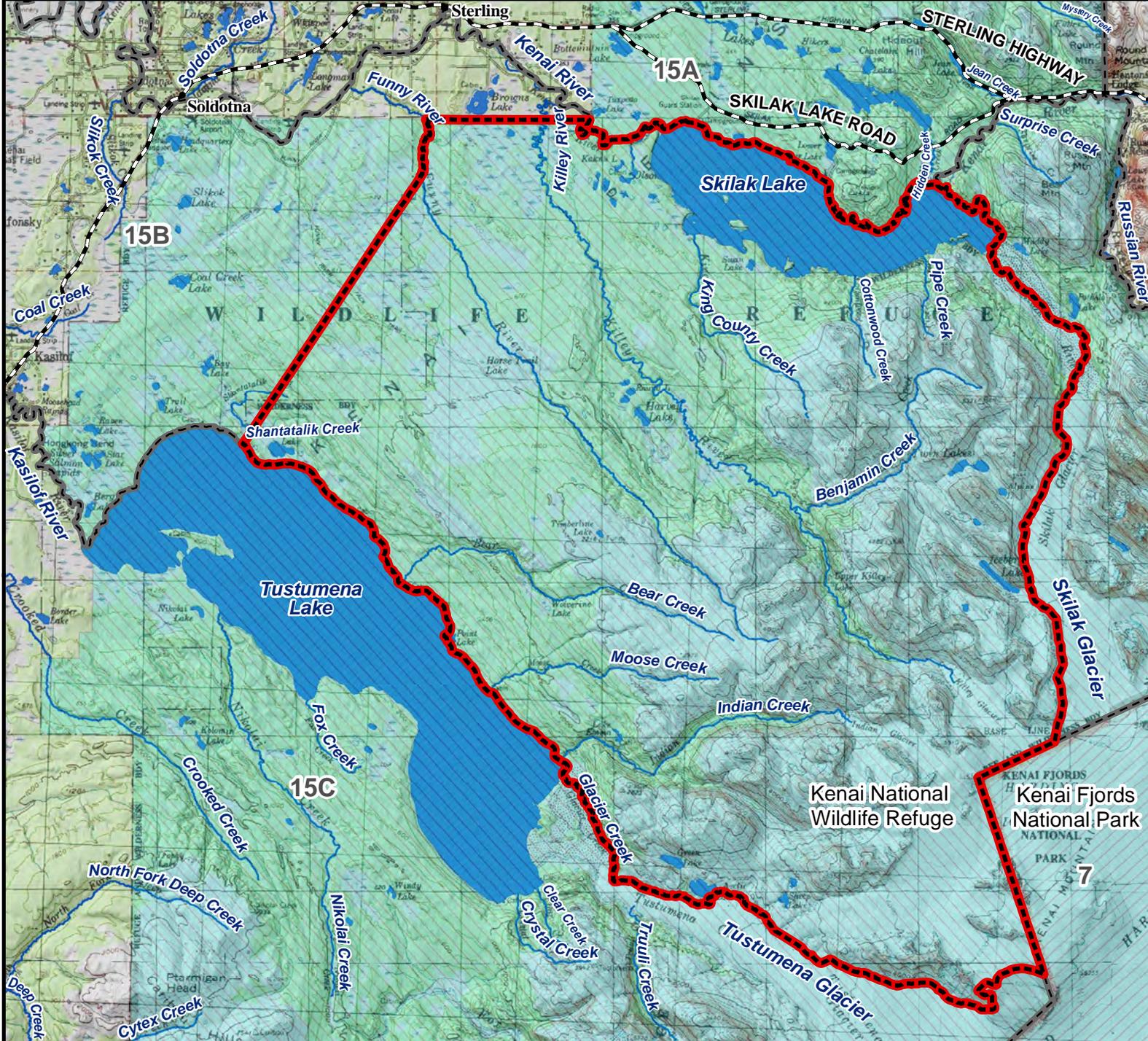
Please refer to the Alaska Hunting Regulations for complete information regarding seasons, bag limits, hunt areas, and any additional requirements and restrictions, or contact your local ADF&G office.

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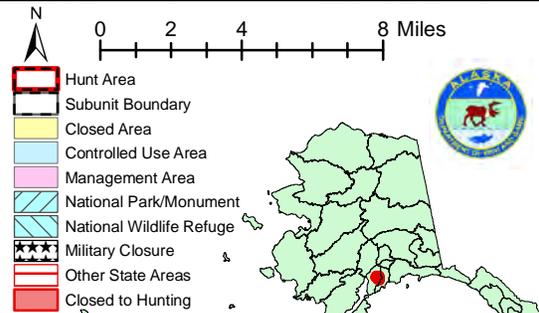
Unit 15B, Skilak to Tustumena Moose - General Hunt

Residents and Nonresidents - Harvest Ticket Required

This map is intended for hunt planning use, not for determining legal property or regulatory boundaries. Content is compiled from various sources and is subject to change without notice. See current hunting regulations for written descriptions of boundaries. Hunters are responsible for knowing the land ownership and regulations of the areas they intend to hunt.



AREA DESCRIPTION: Unit 15b, that portion bounded by a line running from the mouth of Shantatalik Creek on Tustumena Lake, northward to the headwaters of the west fork of Funny River; then downstream along the west fork of Funny River to the Kenai National Wildlife Refuge boundary; then east along the refuge boundary to its junction with the Kenai River; then eastward along the north side of the Kenai River and Skilak Lake; then south along the western side of Skilak River, Skilak Glacier, and Harding Icefield; then west along the Unit 15B boundary to the mouth of Shantatalik Creek.



Please refer to the Alaska Hunting Regulations booklet for bag type, seasons, and additional regulations concerning this hunt.